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# **FEE TRANSMITTAL**

## **For FY 2006**

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**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

<u>Application Type</u>	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	0.00
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	0.00
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	0.00
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	0.00
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	0.00

## **2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

**Fee Description**

**Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)**

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

#### **Multiple dependent claims**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
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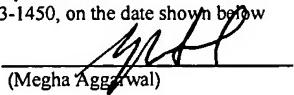
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### INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Request for Continued Examination is in response to the final Office Action dated March 7, 2006 (Paper No. 20060228), for which a response was due on June 7, 2006. A petition and fee for a two month extension of time are filed herewith. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, in light of the remarks presented herein, are respectfully requested.